

# THE NORTHFIELD HERALD

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## Seek Warner's Seat; Plenty Of Choice None From Northfield

Now that the way is open since the announced withdrawal of A. C. Warner of Sutherland as Representative of the First Franklin District to the General Court, a number of names are being brought forward as his successor. Mr. Harry E. Wells, former Deerfield selectman has announced his candidacy.

Mr. Wells was a member of the Deerfield board of selectmen for six years, four of them as chairman. He is a native of that town and has been a member of the board of water commissioners for the past 16 years. He has been an active member of the Franklin Harvest club and Connecticut Valley Agricultural Improvement committee as well as fraternal organizations.

Mr. Claude Church, chairman of the selectmen of Ashfield is an aspirant. Mr. Church is a native of Ashfield and has been a selectman for the past 24 years, 12 of them as chairman of the board. He is also a member of the boards of assessors and public welfare. Mr. Church is a dairy farmer.

Another who has "thrown his hat into the ring" is Mr. Fred B. Dole of Shelburne long active in political affairs of his town. Mr. Dole is also president of the Franklin County Agricultural society, and of the Franklin County Congregational club, secretary of the Franklin County Farm bureau, master of Shelburne Grange and district deputy master of the state Grange. Born in Connecticut, he has spent most of his life on the farm at Shelburne conducted many years by his father, Charles S. Dole. He is married and has three children, and is a brother of Sumner S. Dole, now a member of the faculty of Connecticut Agricultural college at Storrs, Ct. He has never before sought public office.

No name has as yet been suggested from Northfield though there is a possibility that a candidacy may be announced.

The Herald is not committed at this time to anyone but may assert its position and make its commendation later.

## Katherine Mundy Married

The marriage of Miss Mary Catherine Mundy, daughter of Mrs. Mary W. Mundy of 1005 Boulevard, Westfield, N. J., to James Ardell Shadle of Philadelphia took place Saturday afternoon May 7th in the Westfield Presbyterian Church. The ceremony was performed by Rev. William K. McKinney. The bride was attended by her sister, Mrs. Donald McDougall. Luther Shadle was his brother's best man.

Miss Mundy is well known in Northfield among the summer colony of Mountain Park where with her mother she has spent several summers. She is a graduate of Montclair, N. J., normal school and has taught for two years at Springfield, (N. J.). Mr. Shadle is a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania and is in business in Philadelphia where the young couple will hereafter reside.

## Memorial Day

The joint Memorial Day Committee of the patriotic organizations have announced that the speaker at the public exercises on May 30th will be Judge Chester B. Jordan of Keene. Judge Jordan is a public speaker of note and judge of the Cheshire County Probate Court. The Town Hall exercises will follow the ceremony at the Center Cemetery and probably begin at 10.45 a. m. It is hoped that a large audience will join the veterans when they honor their departed comrades.

## Sunset Inn To Open Soon

Announcement is made that Sunset Inn the popular motorists resort on the Northfield Farms Road will re-open for the season on Saturday, June 4th under the efficient management of Mrs. Charles E. Leach. There will be a special opening dinner on Sunday June 5th. This place has for some years been a mecca for many for meals and afternoon teas, as it's quiet and home atmosphere have been particularly pleasing.



SUNSET INN—Northfield Farms

## Northfield Foreign Mission Conference To Be Well Attended

Present indications are that the Foreign Mission conference to be held in Northfield July 12th to 20th inclusive will be very largely attended with a special rate of a fare and a half granted on all railroads to delegates. The registration fee for delegates is three dollars. Sessions of the conference will be held in Sage Chapel and in the large Auditorium. The program with those in charge is divided as follows.

Morning Worship in Sage Chapel will be under the direction of Mrs. John M. Cratty.

Courses in Mission Fundamentals will be given by Dr. Oscar MacMillan Buck, Dr. Milton T. Stauffer, and Dr. Eleanor T. Calverley.

Courses in Missionary Methods; using Central Committee and Missionary Education Movement study-books on China will be given by Miss Gertrude Schultz, Miss Ruth Isabel Seabury, Miss Mary Moore, Miss Clara Schaeffer, Dr. Milton T. Stauffer and others.

Courses in Bible are provided by Miss Caroline L. Palmer (Auditorium Class), Miss Frances F. Ball, Miss Bertha E. Enderle, Miss Marion Benedict and others.

Music as a Missionary Method will be considered by Miss Marguerite L. Hazzard.

Round Top Vesper Services under the direction of Miss Rachel Benfer.

Special Evening Features in the Auditorium are greetings from Missionaries and Nationals; Denominational Rallies; Another Buck-Stauffer Evening; Musical Program; Home Mission Night; Consecration Service.

The Committee in charge of the Foreign Mission Conference consists of Mrs. John M. Cratty, Chairman; Mrs. Henry W. Peabody, Honorary Chairman; Miss Amy O. Welcher, Program; Miss Emily J. Werner, Program (Acting); Mrs. James M. Pratt, Secretary; Miss Edna Sprinchorh, Treasurer; Mrs. W. A. Hardenbergh, Camp Director; Miss Gertrude Schultz, Central Committee, Miss Sue Weddel, Publicity.

The usual number of church denominations will participate in the Conference and Committees who are assisting have been appointed.

Accommodations are to be provided in the various dormitories and in tents and The Northfield Hotel and Chateau will have many guests.

The Foreign Mission Conference will not fail in being another enthusiastic gathering.

## Play And Operetta By High School Students

There will be an entertainment in the Town Hall next Thursday evening May 26th at 8 o'clock for the benefit of the Northfield High School Glee Club. The program will consist of a farce "A Good Girl in the Kitchen" and a pantomime, "And the Lamp Went Out" and an operetta "The Nifty Shop."

The productions are to be given under the personal direction of Miss Marion Webster supervisor of music and Miss Matthews teacher of the High School. The students of the High School will take all parts and there will be real personal interest. All profit goes to the High School Glee Club and with admission fixed at only a quarter everyone can afford to go and enjoy an evening's entertainment.

## Hermon Club Gathers

The Franklin County - Hermon Club held its annual meeting and banquet Monday night at the Northfield Hotel when 60 members attended. This was the last regional club meeting to be attended by the principal, Dr. Henry F. Cutler, before his retirement in June after being head of the school for 43 years. Albert E. Roberts, alumni-secretary, was the speaker of the evening. Carroll Ricket of Mount Hermon was the chairman of the meeting.

## To Be Installed Minister

The Rev. Henry Sheppard Atkinson of Mrs. H. H. Atkinson of Glenwood Avenue will be installed as pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Wildwood, N. J., Friday evening, May 30th. The sermon will be preached by Dr. J. Gresham Machen of the Westminster Theological Seminary of Philadelphia.

## Historical Society Quarterly Meeting

The next quarterly meeting of the Northfield Historical Society falls on Tuesday evening, June 7. It will be held in Dickinson Library Hall at 8 o'clock, Daylight Saving time.

Among matters of interest that the directors plan to bring before the meeting are an 18th century doll that belonged to Lydia Merriman, who was born in 1762. Mrs. Frank H. Montague, a descendant will tell its history. Mr. Leon E. Alexander will bring a ledger used by an ancestor of his in the opening years of the 19th century. The prices for labor and a variety of goods throw light on the social and economic background of that period contrasted with that of today. Mr. Edward Cembalisky will bring the bones of the Indian he recently turned up on his farm in Benetts' Meadow, along with an axe-head and other finds. The meeting will be thrown open for discussion on all these historical objects. A full attendance of members is desired.

It is hoped to arrange a trip to the Primeval Forest some time in June, in place of the trip planned for last fall which had to be abandoned because of wet weather.

## Planning Conference For This District

The second annual planning Conference of the old Hampshire Planning Conference of Franklin, Hampshire and Hampden Counties will be held at the Hotel Northfield, Springfield, Mass., May 20, 1932 at 2.30 p.m.

The "Council" is the outgrowth of two similar meetings, one in Amherst last Spring, and another in Northampton last fall. Those in attendance voted to establish a regional planning organization for the purpose of jointly discussing the problems of the three Counties of Franklin, Hampshire and Hampden.

The purpose of this meeting is two-fold, opportunity being offered to discuss local problems as well as to listen to inspirational addresses by men who are experts and leaders in the fields of zoning; highway development, beautification and maintenance; taxation; and general planning. Northfield is invited to be represented by delegates and to participate in the discussions.

Frank A. Waugh, Amherst, is chairman; Harold T. Dougherty, Westfield, treasurer; and Maynard O. Saunders, Springfield, secretary. This is a splendid opportunity for our local village Improvement Society to be represented.

## Fortnightly Session Election Of Officers

The annual meeting of the Fortnightly Womens' club was held at the usual hour on Friday May 13th at Alexander Hall with Mrs. M. E. Vorce, the President presiding. It was the annual meeting and a full account of the past year's work was rendered. Reports were received from the various officers and the election of officers took place resulting as follows:

President, Mrs. H. F. Montague; 1st Vice President, Rev. Mary A. Conner; 2nd Vice President, Mrs. C. M. Steadler; Recording Secretary, Mrs. H. F. Foley; Treasurer, Mrs. A. H. Wright; Corresponding Secretary, Miss Ida Merriman; Directors, Mrs. W. P. Stanley, Mrs. Martin E. Vorce, Mrs. H. H. Morse; program committee Mrs. J. W. Field, Mrs. W. W. Coe, Mrs. C. E. Williams; Music Committee, Mrs. George Carr.

After the business session the children of Center School gave a most delightful program of songs, plays and recitations followed by a May pole dance on the lawn. Miss Ethelynd Sheldon had charge of the entertainment.

## Physical Directors At Northfield Hotel

Physical Directors of the Young Men's Christian Association of Massachusetts and Rhode Island to the number of fifty are in a three day meeting at the Northfield Hotel. The sessions opened on Wednesday and the conference will consider many matters of importance relating to physical education and gymnasium practice. The afternoon of each day is devoted to sports and a study of the various games as played.

## Moody Associate Passes

Rev. Dr. William Walton Clark, 86, of Brooklyn, retired minister who had filled a number of pulpits in Brooklyn as supply pastor in the past 30 years died Thursday May 12th at Amityville (L. I.) Sanatorium where he had been a patient suffering from a fractured hip. Dr. Clark who was for a number of years field secretary of the board of home missions of the Reformed church, was born in Portsmouth, N. H., and was a graduate of Williams college and Union Theological seminary. For a period of ten years he was associated with the late Dwight L. Moody in his evangelistic services and was no stranger to Northfield and its Conference sessions.

## Brotherhood Banquet Of Father And Son

About a hundred members and 75 young people attended the annual Father and Son banquet of the Brotherhood on Tuesday evening last in the vestry of the Congregational Church.

Chicken and ice cream supper was served at 6.30 o'clock.

At the business meeting which followed vice president, M. D. Birdsall presided. Secretary Lester White read a letter of thanks from Mr. and Mrs. Arthur S. Merrill of Birmam Road for the gift of a radio. Rev. W. Stanley Carne was voted a member.

Leon R. Alexander presented the annual report as treasurer. Including a balance carried forward from last year a total of \$732.94 was received. Expenses of suppers, entertainments, benefits and sundries amounted to \$475.35, leaving a balance in hand of \$257.64. The membership roll is about 120.

A committee consisting of Charles Mayberry, Lawrence Lazelle and George Carr was voted to co-operate with the church and Sunday school on a united annual picnic.

The following officers were elected for next year: President, Frank L. Duley; vice president, Louis A. Webster; Secretary, Grove W. Deming; assistant secretary, Dan Bodley; Treasurer, Leon R. Alexander; Auditor, M. D. Birdsall.

The entertainment of the evening was provided by Harrell the Magician of Newton Center. First of all he gave some selections on bells, on a saxophone, and on glasses, successively. Then followed a number of sleight of hand tricks which were enjoyed by old and young alike.

## Will They Unite? Unitarians Consider

For some time a joint commission of the Unitarian and Universalist Churches have been considering a way to join their fellowships and a report has just been made. The report is signed by Victor A. Friend of Melrose, president of the Universalist general convention, and Dr. Louis C. Cornish of Boston, president of the American Unitarian association. The plan proposes the independence of each local congregation and a coordinating relationship one to the other, eliminating the duplication of effort wasted energies, and the up-building of a stronger and more efficient liberal group. Stronger churches with sufficient loyalty and faith, greater resources and more interest of its membership in social amelioration and reform are some of the things hoped for. The report will be submitted to the next convention of both denominations.

## North Church Notes

Large attendances marked the services both morning and evening at the Church last Sunday. The pastor preached at both services and the large chorus choir under the direction of Prof. Lawrence rendered the music.

The Young People's meeting Sunday evening was led by Homer Carne.

The Friendly Class met at the home of Mrs. Marion E. Lilly on Monday evening and the speaker was Mrs. Annette Sturgis.

The pastor will preach both morning and evening next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Wright and Rev. and Mrs. W. Stanley Carne were in attendance at the State Conference of Congregational Churches held at Quincy, Mass., this week.

The annual meeting of the Ladies Sewing Society was held Thursday and the new officers chosen for the year are as follows: President, Mr. S. S. Merrifield; First Vice President, Mrs. Cotton; Second Vice President, Miss V. T. Smith; Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. F. E. Evans; Associate, Miss Mary J. Hills; Chaplain, Miss C. B. Lane; Chairman of Committees are Doris Sewing, Mrs. A. M. Wright; for patchwork, Mrs. F. E. Evans; Social, Mrs. Skinner.

## South Church Notes

The address of Miss Ramona Sawyer in this church last Sunday morning was well-thought-out and pleasingly presented, averring that the questioning age of youth in religious concerns is temporary and the naturally reverent attitude in faith and experience is the abiding.

The Junior and Senior Alliances will serve a hot supper in the vestry at 6.30 o'clock this Friday evening, and the wish is that there may be a real get-together of the people for a good supper and a social time. The invitation is general.

The subject of discourse next Sunday, May 22, will be "Habit," presenting some practical considerations.

The ministers of the church and a few of the parish are expecting to attend the Anniversary May meetings in Boston from the 23rd to the 27 of next week.

The patriotic organizations of the town are to worship with this church in Memorial Sunday morning, May 29th.

## Tree Day—Class Day Of Seminary Students; Other Interesting Items

Tree Day, one of the most colorful of the Spring festivities of the Northfield Seminary, was celebrated Monday afternoon on the athletic field in front of Marquand Hall, when the Juniors and Seniors combined in crowning the May Queen, Catherine Jacobson of Monson, Mass. The junior class tree was also planted.

Accompanied by the music of trumpets and reed instruments the May Queen approached the seat of honor, surrounded by her pages and train-bearers. A pageant then followed, showing the conquest of Spring and her troops over the vanquished Winter. After the formation of several tableaux, all the participants of the May dance in their colorful costumes sang and frolicked on the greensward.

A festival of the nations was then given for the queen's entertainment. In costumes befitting the nation represented a different group of girls portrayed some outstanding characteristic of each people. The Tarantella was for Italy; the Kilt for Ireland; the Villagers, Holland; Ace of Diamonds, Denmark; Chebogan, Hungary; Seven Jumps, Jutland; Ox Dance, Sweden; Dance De La Cosaque, Russia; Pierrot and Pierrette, France; La Feria, Spain; Minuet, America; and May Pole Dance, England.

The pages of the queen were Frances Atwood, East Middlebury, Vt., and Nettie Humphreys, Westfield, Mass. Train-bearers were Marion Hunt, Ansonia, Conn.; Maureen O'Keefe, East Northfield; Florence Hankins, Long Beach, N. Y.; Grace Field, head of the gymnasium, had charge of the dancing. Elizabeth Homet, senior class teacher, and Thelma Spencer, junior class teacher, arranged the costumes. A supper was prepared for the juniors by the seniors.

The class of 1932 of the Seminary observed its class-day exercises Tuesday by enjoying an all-day holiday and automobile trip to the McDowell colony at Peterborough, New Hampshire, where a picnic dinner was served. From thence the party of 96 seniors and Miss Mira B. Wilson, principal, together with the class teacher, Miss Elizabeth Homet, drove on to Toy Town Tavern at Winchendon, and then to Vernon, where at Miller's Grove, a picnic supper was enjoyed.

Class speeches took place at Vernon. The prophecy was read by Cornelia Newton, New York City; Betty Gott, Boston; and Dorcas Dixon, North Rochester, N. H. Class history was read by Eleanor Richardson, Boston; Frances Pond, New York City; and Miriam Hall, Worcester, Mass. Class Will was read by Fritz Bauman, New Rochelle, N. Y.; Isabel Alden, Hampton, N. H.; Helen Henderson, Dunham, N. H. The Class Day Oration was delivered by Dorcas Dixon and Marjorie Glenn, Wooster, O.

The class motto is "Per Aspera ad Astra." Through difficulties to the stars. Blue and silver constitute the class colors; the blue iris is the class flower, and the chestnut tree the class tree. Class hymn is "O'nto the Hills Round do I Lift up my Longing Eyes."

Class beauty has hair like Dorothea Humphreys, Forest Hills, N. Y., and Helen Welles, New Haven, Conn. Her eyes are like Natalie Wells, Enfield, N. H. and Betty Gott, 44 Pinckney street, Boston. She has a nose like Vera Horner, W. Willington, Conn.; and Gladys Smith of Westfield, Mass.; Her complexion is like Catherine Jacobson, Monson, Mass. Her smile is like Gladys Smith, and her disposition is that of Louise Stanley, East Northfield.

Class artist, Marion Thompson, Rochester, N. Y.; Humorist, Margaret Kerr, Gloucester, who is also class optimist; Dorcas Dixon is the student of the class; Mary L. Baker, Washington, Pa., and Jane Whitbread, Larchmont, N. Y. are the geniuses. Musicians are Marion Atkins, Trenton, N. Y., and Thelma Agor, Bogota, N. J. Sportsmen, Helga Murray, Staten Island, N. Y.; and Billie Carrington, E. Orange, N. J. Baby, Frances Atwood, E. Middlebury, Vt.; Cutest, Mildred Dolliver, Northeast Harbor, Me.; Wittiest, Margaret Kerr and Jane Whitbread; Quietest, Doris Gustavson, Stratford, Conn.; Flirtiest, Frances Pond, N. Y. C.; Smoothest, Florence McElrath, Madison, N. J.; Best Natured, Louise Stanley; Most all round, Jane Whitbread and Billie Carrington; Most conscientious, Louise Stanley and Marian Atkins; Most energetic, Miss Elizabeth Homet, class teacher, and Aiko Miyamura, Oak Bluffs, Mass.; Most original, Cornelia Newton, N. Y. C., and Eleanor Richardson, Boston; Most modest, Louise Stanley, Thelma Agor and son, Beverly, Mass.; Most poised, Louise Stanley, Thelma Agor and Barbara Kohn, Belhi, N. Y.; Biggest Arguer, Cornelia Newton and Rhoda Mason, Rocky Hill, N. Y.; Biggest Bluffer, Aiko Miyamura and Elizabeth Baxter, New London, Conn.; Hermone Hater, Margaret Kerr and Sophia Somkowitz, N. Y. C.; Hermon Conqueror, Mary L. Baker and Frances Pond; One who has done most for the school, Jane Whitbread and Dorothy Butterworth, Lawrence, Mass.

The final issue for this season of The Northfield Star, the Seminary paper made its appearance this week and was distributed last Monday. It is most attractive in form and "get up" and reflects credit upon its Editor.

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## Congregational Club Franklin County To Meet Here

The Spring meeting of the Franklin County Congregational Club will be held at the Hotel Northfield on Tuesday evening, May 31st and a large attendance of members and guests are expected. The Rev. Samuel Macaulay Lindsay, D. D., minister of the Brookline Baptist Church will speak on "What the eye saw and the ear heard in Russia in 1931" all based on his personal observations while traveling in that country.

A banquet will be served in the dining room of the hotel at seven o'clock following a brief reception to the guests and a social hour. Music will be rendered by the Mount Hermon mixed quartette. Mr. Roy R. Hatch of Mount Hermon is President of the organization and Mr. Winthrop P. Abbott is secretary.

## Issues New Booklet

From the presses of The Herald Print there has been issued a twenty-two page booklet entitled "A Short-hand Exhibit" by the Rev. Charles C. Conner the originator of a new method of writing by shorthand. The booklet is to make its appeal to all teachers and others interested in the study of shorthand by showing by way of comparison the actual advantages of the newer method over the present systems in use. The booklet should prove a premier salesman of the new method as it explains it so thoroughly and convincingly. Persons interested in a study of shorthand should write Rev. Charles C. Conner, East Northfield for a copy.

## Personals

Mr. Edward Morgan, student at Harvard is spending a couple of weeks at his home here.

Mr. Harold Washer is moving his family from the Minot house on Main street into the Clapp home on the Farms Road.

Mr. and Mrs. William F. Hoehn returned last Sunday night from a motor trip to relatives at Morristown and Madison, N. J.

Miss Ethel Lawrence of Kenil, N. J., has arrived in Northfield to open her bungalow for the summer in Mountain Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Payson have purchased the Reed house on Mills street which they have been occupying from Mrs. H. A. Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. McRoberts of Brooklyn, N. Y., arrived in Northfield Wednesday to open their summer home in Mountain Park.

Mrs. Maude N. Voris of Jamaica, N. Y., has opened her summer home in East Northfield and has been entertaining a number of friends last week end.

Northfield is proud of the fact that Miss Louise Stanley, daughter of Mrs. W. P. Stanley of Highland avenue is President of the Senior Class which graduates in June.

Rev. Edward G. Ernst, pastor of the Congregational church in New Salem the past two years, has accepted the call which he recently received to become pastor of the Union Congregational church in Medford. He will begin his pastorate there June 1. Rev. Ernst was married to Miss Helen Doane of Athol on Monday, May 16.

Look in the Northfield Pharmacy window and see some real trout caught by Edward Reed and Tom Parker. The two fish weigh 3 pounds.

## THE PARK AT VERNON TO OPEN SATURDAY NIGHT

Mrs. C. R. Jennison will open the park at Vernon, Vermont on Saturday May 21. There will be a dance every Saturday night throughout the season. Jillion's orchestra will furnish music on alternate weeks with some other popular orchestra, including the Musical Bachelors. These dances proved very popular last season and every effort will be made to make it pleasant for all who attend this year. Round and square dances will be held.

Editorial Board and Editor-in-chief, Miss Jane Whitbread. The Editor next year will be Miss Elizabeth Anderson who was chosen last Saturday. Her two associates will be Sue Chase of 1934 and Lois Leng of 1933.

Mrs. Harriet Lacey whose husband represents the American Bible society in Shanghai, China, and who left China on March 19, was the speaker in Sage chapel on Tuesday morning. She talked of conditions in Shanghai during the past few months and gave personal experiences of the missionaries' difficulties and problems.

The students heard Miss Margaret Hamlin of the Massachusetts State college in Sage chapel on Wednesday morning.

Final examinations for the year are to be held during the week beginning May 28th.

Rev. Robert Russell, Minister of the Larchmont Avenue Church, Larchmont, N. Y., was the speaker at Sage Chapel last Sunday.



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## EDITORIAL

In discussing some outstanding farm problems, an authority on those subjects vividly described what is back of the bottle of milk the housewife finds on her doorstep each morning.

Back of it are the broad green fields, the rolling hills, the shining homes and barns of the countryside. Back of it are plants employing thousands of men and women, and express trains and trucks speeding the milk to the city so it may be delivered in perfect condition. Back of it is the prosperity—or the failure—of whole communities.

If that bottle of milk sells for a fair price, it means that taxes are met, mortgages are paid promptly, men are given work at good wages. If it sells for an extremely low price—as is the case in many states at present—it means that mortgages are foreclosed, bills and taxes are unpaid.

A good commodity cannot be produced at too low a price—whether that commodity be milk or wool or automobiles or furniture or clothing. That is the reason, in the case of the farmer, for co-operatives which, through mass action, give agriculture the bargaining power with which to maintain a fair price for what it has to sell. Every person interested in American prosperity will wish the co-operative movement all success.

Mr. H. L. Mencken says some very interesting things at times and one of his recent utterances puts a new slant on the depression from which we quote:

"The psychic effect of the depression, it seems to me, is generally good. It has taught people the difference between speculative and real values. But of all it has taught millions that there is no earthly reason why there should be two cars in every garage, and a chicken in the pot every day. Life in America had become an almost unanimous effort to keep up with the Joneses and what the Joneses had to offer by way of example was chiefly no more than a puerile ostentation. So many luxuries became necessities that the line separating the one from the other almost vanished. People forgot how to live well, and devoted themselves frantically to living gaudily. Perhaps the lesson to be drawn may well be worth the while."

## The People's Forum

To the Editor:

The National Woman's Christian Temperance Union opposes the idea of dodging the prohibition issue by so-called resubmission planks in party platforms. The government to be elected in November must carry out the constructive enforcement work of the present administration. Politicians, scared by organized wet propaganda and the concerted drive to disobey and ridicule the law, are seeking a road to success via "resubmission." This will lead to the ultimate dissolution of any party not squarely facing the issue.

Prohibition, with imperfect enforcement at first and continually improving enforcement at present, is responsible for certain major social and economic results which cannot be ignored. Poverty from drink has almost entirely disappeared from America.

No better illustration of the benefits of prohibition can be given than the conclusions of the leaders of public school education who, speaking through the National Education Association, declare that "many of the three million additional students who have sought a high school education within the decade have come from poor homes where in former times drinking was a heavy burden on the family income," and that "unquestionably the 18th amendment has benefited the schools beyond measure."

Leading economists assure us that national prohibition is helping America gain and maintain economic world leadership.

Any party or candidate opening the way to remove the causes of these benefits is doomed to defeat. These positive results bar the way to success through any policy except enforcement of the only law which has ever resulted in reducing the consumption of liquor.

No party can hold the votes of the millions of dry women in this country without promising to continue and enforce prohibition. There is definite political value to the enthusiastic support of national organizations of dry women and the victory of one party or the other may depend upon this circumstance.

Northfield Voter

A gentleman at the Symphony was annoyed by two women back of him who persisted in conversing continuously about their heart trouble, appendicitis operation, rheumatism and tonsils. Finally, the exasperated gentleman broke forth:

"Pardon me, ladies, I came to the Symphony, not to an Organ Recital!"

THE sun is shining on Mount Hermon hill  
The springtime is coming, the heart is a thrill.  
The lawns are dressing in garments of green  
The hillside is glowing in bright morning sheen.  
The buds are bursting on all the trees  
And branches are waving in the fresh spring breeze.  
The blue sky is bending, majestic above  
All nature is showing God's infinite love.

The bells are ringing on Mount Hermon hill  
The students go singing with right good will.  
Old memories are waking, the heart is in tune  
The school flag is waving, all hail the maroon.  
Mount Hermon still standing, face upturned to God  
With blessings still flowing where once you have trod.  
Life ever is pulsing when comes the springtime  
Our souls are awaking to new thoughts sublime.

Henry F. Cutler

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## The Poet's Corner

### A MORNING THOUGHT

What if some morning, when the stars  
were paling,  
And the dawn whitened, and the  
East was clear,  
Strange peace and rest fell on me  
From the presence  
Of a benignant Spirit standing  
near;

And I should tell him, as he stood be-  
side me,  
"This is our Earth—most friendly  
Earth, and fair;  
Daily its sea and shore through sun  
and shadow  
Faithfully it turns, robed in its  
azure air.

"There is blest living here, loving and  
serving,  
And quest of truth, and serene  
friendship dear;  
But stay not, Spirit! Earth has one  
destroyer—  
His name is Death: Flee, lest he  
find thee here!"

And what if then, while the still  
morning brightened,  
And freshened in the elm the Sum-  
mer's breath,  
Should gravely smile on me the gentle  
angel  
And take my hand and say, "My  
name is Death?"  
Edward Rowland Sill

### A FISHER LADS' PHILOSOPHY

I sit and fish in my old gray boat,  
As it rides the summer sea  
The little waves come and kiss my  
hand,  
And the sun smiles down on me.  
The white spray dashes against the  
prow,  
The salt winds brush my face.  
The sea wears a gown of bright blue  
silk,  
All trimmed with jewels and lace,  
The sun makes diamonds on her  
breast,  
And the foam is the lace so fair.  
O happy am I, a fisher lad,  
With never a worry or care.

My boat is old, and gray, and worn,  
But she's all the world to me,  
She takes me home to my little hut,  
And she brings me out to sea.  
She carries my load of silver fish,  
She helps me earn my bread,  
I would not part with my staunch old  
friend  
For the richest board and bed.  
It is not always a summer sea,  
That my boat and I must ride,  
But there's nothing to fear in a  
stormy gale,  
For we've weathered them side by  
side.

I sit and fish in my old gray boat,  
And the big ships pass me by.  
The passengers stop in their prome-  
nade,  
To look down from the decks so high.  
Their purses are filled with gold, no  
doubt,  
And their garments are fine and  
clean.  
They have traveled afar in foreign  
lands,  
And marvelous things they have seen.  
They smile at the lot of the fisher lad,  
At my old gray boat and me,  
But what care I, if they laugh or  
weep,  
I've my boat, and the sun, and the  
sea!

Doris Hildreth Wheeler

### DEEM ME NOT DEAD

Deem me not dead tho' I shall pass  
Even as vapor does from glass;  
Even as vapor I shall rise  
Unto the everlasting skies.

Deem me not dead the Earth's grey  
shore  
Shall echo to my tread no more;  
My spirit feet will press the road  
That reaches—somewhere—God's  
abode!

Deem me not dead—if death is  
blank—  
The faith is mine, Lord Christ I  
thank,  
To muse on higher spheres than these  
And on sublimer mysteries!

Deem me not dead, tho' like the wind  
I go—and leave no trace behind;  
Immortal longings rise and roll  
Across the vision of the soul!

Deem me not dead, tho' I shall seem  
As unsubstantial as a dream;  
A shaded lamp—a blade that's  
sheathed—  
These things I have been since I  
breathed!

Deem me not dead, tho' men consign  
To the dark earth the likeness  
mine;  
Beyond the utmost verge of time  
Then shall I soar who now must  
climb.  
Arthur Goodenough  
West Brattleboro, Vermont

### What Men May Be To Others

Some thoughts range themselves  
under the heading which is chosen  
above.

A negative aspect suggests itself at  
once in the event of the kidnapping of  
the Lindbergh baby and the finding  
of the dead child nearly three months  
after, evidently killed by the kidnaper.  
Such a dastardly deed does not  
belong in the order of God nor in the  
order of man with advised recognition  
of the divine law. No hurt inflicted  
on others belongs there. Nor can it  
have sanction in the nature of things,  
nor again can any crime bear bless-  
edness in the bosom of any perpetrator.  
He challenges defeat which shall  
be sure in the end. Governmental  
detection shall be scenting the source  
of the "circulation of the money which  
will be identified as the denomina-  
tions of bills given for the kidnappers  
on a promise which was not fulfilled.  
What is held by them they dare not  
put into circulation without detection,  
and the reward of crime is futile and  
joyless in their hands.

The positive aspects of the subject  
of the heading are pleasant to con-  
template. Men are meant to do good.  
This is normal. What one dares or  
achieves of good another will attempt  
or do, because both are of one blood  
and spirit. The kinship of power  
which runs through the human race  
makes the path after each worthy  
deed with scores of travelers promptly  
that way. After Lindbergh went over  
the ocean in his lone aerial journey,  
landing successfully in Paris, others  
were soon flying over the sea. In  
some regards he that has precedence  
in time takes precedence in honor and  
holds it until a greater deed is done  
with ambition and ability, or a better  
life is brought to the realization of  
the many by supreme acts of love and  
faith.

Let the influence of an exemplary  
life be long or short in time, it ex-  
tends surely over an immediate area  
of humanity, as a wave moves over  
the bosom of the ocean making it  
heave as with many breaths in the  
wide wake of it. And in proportion  
to the numbers of persons it reaches  
and affects in the present will it like-  
ly extend in time.

It is true of a town. Henry Ward  
Beecher in an Indiana town preached  
from his pulpit and in his garden open  
to all. He spoke the word of his  
Master from the pulpit, he cultivated  
and grew flowers in the garden. In  
the latter more than in the former he  
thought he exercised the better influ-  
ence, because it was that of example.  
Others saw his garden and loved its  
beauty. They went and planted some  
seeds in their own plots. In two or  
three years there were ten times as  
many flowers to be seen in the town  
than had been seen there before, and  
they have not grown less but more.

It is true of a district of country.  
The early settlers of Virginia were in  
the main not industrious or energetic.  
But Captain John Smith, who found-  
ed the colony, worked harder than  
any and put many to shame thereby  
and induced them to work. And it  
more than happened at the close of  
the colonial period that Virginia, the  
first colony established by the Eng-  
lish, was the thriftiest and wealthiest  
of the thirteen.

Governor Winthrop in Massachu-  
setts, when not engaged with affairs  
of state would apply his hands to la-  
bor side by side with his servants.  
His habits of industry were catching,  
and it is related that through his  
wholesome influence there was not an  
idle person within the bounds of the  
plantation.

In many communities we see a vir-  
tual epidemic of thrifty ways. In the  
summer neighbor vies with neighbor  
in keeping the lawns smooth and  
beautiful, and the spirit of emulation  
moves easily along roads out for miles  
from village centers.

No person is without his or her  
influence, for no individual lives but  
is closer to some one or ones than oth-  
ers can be. And, those affected by  
any individual have their points of  
contact with further extensions, and  
the circle enlarges.

Charles C. Conner

## Personals - Locals

Mrs. Mary Park of Waterloo, N. Y.  
is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Allen  
H. Wright at her home on Main  
street.

Mrs. Grace C. Cornell has arrived  
in East Northfield from her home in  
Olcott, N. Y., and is preparing her



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Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Schmadeke of  
Thompsonville, Conn., have opened  
their summer home in Rustic Ridge.

Dr. and Mrs. Allen H. Wright re-  
turned last week end from a ten day  
trip by motor to Western New York  
where both the Doctor and his wife  
visited relatives.

Mrs. Clyde Mattern, Mrs. H. M.  
Haskell, Mrs. N. W. Keet and Mr.  
Sidney Given were in Boston last  
week attending the Grand Chapter  
meetings of the Order of the Eastern  
Star. They report that the sessions  
were most interesting.

Miss Clarissa Morgan with a friend  
Mr. Willard McKinstry spent the  
week end at the home of her parents,  
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### Religious Education Session In Northfield Provides Opportunity

Twenty-eight years of continuous service in the training of leadership for the Christian church is worthy of note. On July 21 to 30 of this year the Northfield Conference of Religious Education will conduct its 29th annual session. The 28 years that lie in the past have been years of practical service steadily growing in importance and usefulness. The officers of the Conference feel that they will present this year a faculty and a program of exceptional merit even for this Conference. The faculty includes men and women of national, and some of them of international reputation, and what is more important, men and women of sound Christian experience, thorough training, and skill in teaching. The program will include courses in Bible study, psychology, or the study of the pupil, and methods and materials for various types of church work and Christian service.

Among the special courses which are being offered this year is one on Expressional Activities in the Church School. This will be taught by Mrs. Elizabeth Miller Lobingier. Mrs. Lobingier is not only a skilled artist, but she has the ability to use her art in the illumination of various subjects for boys and girls. She can not only draw, but she can help other people to learn how to draw, a great boon to many who have often wished they could use the blackboard effectively, but who think they cannot.

There will be a course on Worship, taught by Dr. John W. Suter, Jr., the Executive Secretary of the Board of Education of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States. Dr. Suter returns to this Conference after six years to serve again as Chaplain and as teacher of this course. His delightful personality and genuine religious spirit will make him a valued addition.

For several years Miss Mabel Parkes Friwell has been teaching a course on Church Music which has been of greatest help to many directors of music in smaller churches. She will repeat this course during the coming summer and has assembled a large amount of fresh material for it. A course on the Modern Indian will be offered by Miss Winifred Hulbert, author of several fascinating study books for the Missionary Education Movement. Space forbids detailed description of other courses, but full information may be easily secured as indicated at the end of this article.

Many of those who have been members of this faculty in previous years will return in 1932. Some others who will be welcomed here for the first time this year are the following: Rev. and Mrs. Clarence Almon Wagner, of Hudson, Mass. Mr. Wagner was formerly Director of Leadership Training for the Methodist Episcopal Board of Education in Chicago. Mrs. Wagner has shared with him in field work and is a teacher of recognized ability in the field of dramatics and public speaking. Dr. Vaughan Dabney, Dean of the Andover Newton Theological School, will teach courses in Old Testament. Miss Helen Grace Murray, Associate Secretary of the Department of Social Relations of the Congregational Education Society, will teach two courses.

The policy of recent years with reference to the teaching of elementary methods will be continued this summer. The courses in methods and administration for primary and junior leaders will be taught on the demonstration plan, in which the student will have the opportunity to observe and share in the teaching of actual groups of children, followed by discussion of the principles thus illustrated. This greatly increases the practical value of the course and redeems it from being an academic study about children from a book. Miss Jeanette E. Perkins, of Riverside Church, New York, and Miss Ethel Bader, of Newark, New Jersey, who so successfully initiated this work in 1930 at Northfield, return this year as teachers of primary and junior work respectively. For the kindergarten department the Conference has secured Miss Jessie Eleanor Moore, widely known as both a teacher and writer in this field, now one of the associate editors of the Pilgrim Elementary Teacher.

There are several courses for young people only. The Young Peoples' Division, with its own dean, student council, and officers, will be continued. Rev. Roy L. Minich, of Malden, unofficially known as "Uncle Roy," will be Dean of Young People, and several of last year's counselors will be present, and the vacancies that have occurred are to be filled by skilled and experienced leaders.

The daily chapel service, which by common consent has marked the high point of this Conference during the last half-dozen years, provides for those who attend an experience in worship of a very beautiful and inspiring type. This half-hour assembly comes in the middle of the forenoon. It is conducted by the chaplain, assisted by the Conference musicians, Mrs. Agnes E. Allen, Miss Mabel Parkes Friwell, and Mrs. Alfrida H. Hoglund, each an artist of ability with a keen appreciation of the religious value of music. No notices or business of any sort are allowed to intrude upon this service of worship. Visitors are always welcome provided they observe one of the traditions of this service which is that all shall enter the chapel in silence and leave in the same manner at the close of the service. It is interesting to note that Dr. Suter, who serves as chaplain this summer, also served as chaplain in 1925, when this type of chapel assembly was started.

The session of 1931 aroused genuine enthusiasm and many of the old friends of Northfield are looking forward to this year's session with keen anticipation. The officers of the Conference are particularly anxious to increase the enrollment this year and to bring it back to the former average of about 600. This will mean

an additional 150. With the splendid program and faculty provided and the very large amount of interest that has been manifested throughout the year by former delegates, it ought to be possible to realize this goal. The Northfield Herald has been promised one or two articles to appear at different times describing some of the special features of this year's session and their significance for religious education. The officers of the Conference for this year are:

Hon. Robert Chapin Parker, Westfield, Mass., Chairman of the Board, Justice of the District Court of Western Hampden, Mass.; Herbert W. Gates, D. D., Boston, Mass., Dean, General Secretary, Congregational Education Society; Rev. Ivan S. Nowlan, Boston, Mass., Assistant Dean, General Secretary, Massachusetts Council of Religious Education; Carl A. Hempel, Lynn, Mass., Registrar and Business Manager, Director of Religious Education, First Universalist Church, Lynn, and Secretary, General Sunday School Association, Universalist Church; John W. Suter, Jr., S. T. D., New York City, Chaplain, Executive Secretary, Dept. of Religious Education, National Council of the Protestant Episcopal Church; Prof. Louis A. Olney, Lowell, Mass., Treasurer, Professor, Lowell Textile School, Lowell, Mass.

Anyone desiring full information about the school may receive a copy of the printed announcement by writing to the Dean, at 14 Beacon street, Boston, Mass., Room 807.

### North Leverett

John Ward has purchased an Essex and Robert Ripley has purchased a Pontiac car recently.

The next meeting of the Brotherhood Tuesday evening will be "Community Night" when the families of the Brothers will be entertained.

The opening baseball game was played last Sunday at Bourne's Meadow, Moore's Corner. It resulted in North Leverett 11 to Cushman 5.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Waterman, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Williams and family went to Jefferson Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Jackson. Mrs. Waterman plans to stay with her daughter two weeks.

The friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Albert L. Graves gave them a reception in the hall last Friday evening. The newlyweds received many pretty and useful gifts. Refreshments were served.

Ethan V. Howard, Jr., went to the Farren Memorial Hospital last Saturday to have his injured hand treated. He injured the bone when playing baseball. A delegation from the Brotherhood visited him Sunday evening and found him somewhat improved.

### "60 Miles An Hour"; Hinsdale Talent Acts

"Sixty Miles an Hour," a local talent musical comedy of unusual interest will be presented on Thursday, May 19 and Friday May 20 evenings at the Town Hall, Hinsdale, N. H., under the auspices of Wantastiquet Grange.

"Sixty Miles an Hour" is a railroad comedy which takes place at the time of the late war. The first and third acts take place in a small Ohio town, the second act in France.

The play is a story of a young ambitious railroad fireman who enlists in the world war to avoid marrying a certain prominent spinster and in so doing complicates his affair with the girl of his choice. How the various characters meet in Paris on the first Armistice Day and how the young fireman later stops the midnight flier which hasn't stopped at Durkin Corners since the days of President McKinley, and how this same young fireman finally becomes president of the railroad are details explained in the succeeding action of the story.

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The cast is as follows: "Sixty" Dunn, a railroad fireman, P. L. O'Connor; Josephine Edwards, a spinster, Dorothy Frost; Sally Dae, a saleslady, Gladys Duff; Eddie Mac, a clerk, Shells Watkins; Spike Hamm, a news agent, Paul Chamberlain; Hulda, a Swedish girl, Elizabeth Kimball; Judge Edwards, a land owner, James Gilmore; Mrs. Dunn, Sixty's mother, Marian West; Ben Tracy, a veteran, Richard L. Howe; Sleepy Longfellow, a company clerk, Leonard Young; Bill Devine, a corporal, Ernest Gillis; Monkey Todd, a buck private, Richard Stalbird; Madame But-ten, a French Madam, Katherine Flynn; Colonel Ruffskin, an officer, Frank Seredynski.

A big feature of the performance is "The Kiddie's Kabaret" with 100 local tots taking part. You'll like it!

### Northfield Summer Conference Season of 1932 Schedule of Dates

Young Women's Conference, June 23 to July 1.  
Home Mission Conference, July 5 to July 12.  
Foreign Mission Conference, July 12 to July 20.  
Conference of Religious Education, July 21 to July 30.  
General Conference, July 30 to August 15.  
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### Mount Hermon Items

The Ladies' Literary Society held its monthly meeting last Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Henry F. Cutler, one of the hostesses of the evening. The principal event of the evening was the appearance of Mrs. Ernestine Hubbard, soloist, of Greenfield, who sang several groups of Spring songs. She was accompanied on the piano by Carlton W. L'Hon-medieu.

The other hostesses besides Mrs. Cutler were Miss Sally Clough, Mrs. Leonard Ellinwood, Mrs. Thomas Elder, Mrs. Carroll Rikert, and Mrs. Arthur Platt.

Mrs. Grove Deming was elected president of the society for the coming year. At the business meeting it was decided to have a wide selection of topics instead of developing one main subject.

### Homing Pigeon At Vernon

A homing pigeon rather tired and weary alighted at the home of J. E. Dunklee in Vernon last Tuesday and was given food and after partaking of breakfast appeared reluctant to leave his hosts. The bird wore two aluminum bands on its legs. One band bore on the outer side the inscription C 184, and on the inner side 012. The other band bore the letters LAW 355 if 31.

### Locals

Deputy Sheriff T. F. Darby is driving a new Chevrolet sedan.

Mr. Mike Syknic has rented the old Ruggles place at Northfield Farms from the Turners Falls Power Co.

The Mountain View Hotel, now open, has already attracted a number of tourists and Mr. Pratt says business has really begun.

Mrs. Charles E. Leach of Northfield Farms Road entertained her friends at a luncheon at her home on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Alice Kenney stated to a Herald representative that among a brood of chicks which hatched recently was one with only a single leg.

It was "broiled lamb chops" at the Chef's Special Wednesday evening at the Northfield Hotel. Better try one of those evening meals on Wednesday.

The spring convention of the County organization of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union will be held at Montague at the Congregational Church on Wednesday June 8th.

The Franklin County Council of Parent-Teacher Associations will meet in Shelburne Falls, May 26 from 10:30 a.m., until 4 p.m. Lunch will be served at noon by the Shelburne Falls P. T. A. All members of P. T. A., are urged to make an effort to attend.

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### Northfield A. A., Wins First Game

The Northfield A. A., won a loosely played ball game from the Bernardston A. A., last Wednesday night at the Hotel Grounds by the score of 9-7. "Eddie" Scoble featured for the local team in the field with a wonderful catch of a bunt foul ball nearly back to the backstop. The score follows:

NORTHFIELD A. A.										
	ab	r	h	po	a	e				
Urgielewicz, ss, p	3	0	1	0	1	1				
Shearer, 2	3	0	0	2	1	0				
E. Scoble, 3	2	3	2	2	0	0				
Williams, 1	2	2	2	4	0	2				
Bolton, rf	3	3	1	1	0	0				
Haven, cf	2	0	1	0	0	0				
Kervian, lf	2	1	1	0	0	0				
Glazier, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0				
Browning, c	3	0	0	9	0	1				
C. Scoble, p, ss	2	0	0	0	0	0				
Total	23	9	8	18	2	4				

**BERNARDSTON A. A.**

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Martin, ss	3	0	0	0	1	1
Adams, c	4	1	1	6	0	1
Allen, 1, p	3	1	1	3	1	0
Judd, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Vail, lf	3	0	0	1	0	1
Kratz, 3	3	1	1	1	1	0
Jilson, rf	2	1	0	0	0	0
Bardwell, 2	3	1	0	1	1	0
N. Kratz, p, 1	3	2	1	2	1	1
Snow*	1	0	1	0	0	0
Total	28	7	5	15	5	4

\*Snow batted for Judd in the 6th.  
Score by Innings  
1 2 3 4 5 6  
Northfield 3 1 2 0 3 x-9  
Bernardston 0 0 3 1 1 2-7  
There will be a practice next Monday night, May 23rd at the Hotel Grounds. Next Wednesday, May 25th, the team will go to Bernardston to play a returned game there. It is hoped by the management that as many local people as can do so will make an effort to go.

On Memorial Day the old rivals, Shelburne Falls will come here to play at 2:30 p.m. The Leverett town team is booked for June 3rd.

### Medical Society Head

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On Mothers' Day Rev. George A. Gray gave a fine tribute to Mothers in his sermon on, "The Old Fashioned Mother." The large choir sang several selections. One of them was "Tell Mother I'll Be There." A beautiful selection was sung by the trio, composed of Mrs. Gladys Shattuck, E. W. Dunklee and Mrs. Jennie Warnock. In Sunday School Prof. A. H. Evans gave a fine talk on, "Temperance." In the evening the pastor spoke on, "Making Good the Unfilled Promise." Mrs. Gertrude Gibson sang a beautiful solo, "My Mother's Prayers have Reached Me." and Ray and Mrs. fere with the efficient operation of the motor.

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Miss Maude Radway on "Numerous Inventions"; reading by Mrs. Gmcie Bruce "The Man Who—Waited," and then finally, he evaporated; a song, with encore by Mrs. Gertrude Gibson; address; a fine address was given by Prof. A. H. Evans on "George Washington"; business meeting; Bingville School days was presented in two scenes and greatly enjoyed, causing much fun and laughter; scene No. 1, 1890; Roll call; story by the teacher, Mrs. Marion Johnson; Quotations by the pupils; "Gravy and Chickenbones come to my plate, Little boys eat, while little dogs wait." Arithmetic Class, (called to the front); "Toe-Knee-Chest-Nut, Edgar Bruce; "Katrinka Sweetcorn", Miss Eleanore Brown; "Patricia Cobweb", Mrs. Margaret Frost; Reading, Grade Four, (called front); "Toe-Knee-Chest-Nut" Edgar Bruce; "Cantaloupe Watermelon" Victor Vaughan; "Katrinka Sweetcorn", Miss Eleanore Brown; reading grade six, (called front); "Toe-Knee-Chest-Nut", Edgar Bruce; "Katrinka Sweetcorn", Mrs. Margaret Frost; Bearfoot Popcorn" Ernest Dunklee; History (called front); "Bearfoot Popcorn", Ernest Dunklee; "Katrinka Sweetcorn", Eleanore Brown; "Cantaloupe Watermelon" Victor Vaughan; Physiology, (called front); "Toe-Knee-Chest-Nut", Edgar Bruce; "Priscilla Dustpan" Edna Edson; "Patricia Cobweb", Margaret Frost; Geography, (called front); "Bearfoot Popcorn", Ernest Dunklee; "Katrinka Sweetcorn", Margaret Frost; "Katrinka Sweetcorn", Eleanore

Brown. The school was called to order by the teacher, Mrs. Marion Johnson, who heard classes in reading, arithmetic, physiology, history and geography and the ridiculous answers given by her scholars caused much merriment among the audience. The fund of wise cracks was great, for what one couldn't think of another one would. After their recess, there was a program of music by the school "Kitchen Orchestra." A trombone solo by "Katrinka Sweetcorn"; a violin solo by "Priscilla Dustpan"; an accordion solo by "Toe-Knee-Chest-Nut"; a cornet solo by "Patricia Cobweb"; a banjo solo by "Toe-Knee-Chest-Nut", all of which made a great hit. While the scene was changing from scene No. 1 1890 to scene No. 2, 1950, a trio of girls sang two songs. Those in the trio were Ellen Heath, Gencie Edson and Elva Martin.

"Bingville School Days." Scene No. 2, 1950. The style of dress and ways of teaching were very much different and more modern at present than in days of long ago. The school was called to order by the teacher, "Miss Wiseheart" (Marion Johnson) assisted in her schoolwork, by the school nurse, (Miss Vitimin). Eleanore Brown, who examined the pupils for various diseases and to see if they did their daily "Health Chores."

During school time, Toe-Knee-Chest-Nut was taken with a very severe toothache, and the school nurse offered to extract it for him. She tied a big string on to the tooth, then hitched the other end on to the door knob and slammed the door with a terrible bang and by the force of the bang, pulled out a "whopper." Later the nurse examined him again to see what was the matter and she pronounced his disease to be smallpox which so frightened the pupils, they all got up in a panic and ran out of the school room for dear life. Immediately a vacation of 2 weeks was declared.

Dainty refreshments of cookies and ice cream were served by the P. T. A. and the crowd left knowing they had received more than their money's worth. Candy found a ready sale by the P. T. A. "Bingville School Days" was surely a "crackerjack" and it ought to be repeated somewhere. Quite a number from the Pond P. T. A., came down to enjoy the fun.

## Winchester

Arthur Barrett of the Coast Guard Service with headquarters in Boston is at his home on a furlough.

Miss Maxine Smith and Miss Morgan of Keene Normal and Miss Pauline Smith of Orange, Mass., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Smith.

The Red Cross Chapter of Keene sent to this town 122 bags of flour to be distributed among the needy.

The regular meeting of the Current Events Club meet Friday with Mrs. Winona Barney. A paper, "Flying the longest Mail Routes" was read by Mrs. Ethel Goldsmith.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pentland of Worcester, Mass., spent the week end with relatives.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Barrett and Mrs. C. J. Hubbard of Orange, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hubbard of Agawam, Mass.

The Young People's Society of the Federated Church were guests of the Young people in Northfield on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Holmes, Rev. and Mrs. Carl, the Misses Velma Pierce and Edith Whitehead and Wayne Grupe attended the State Congregational Conference at Manchester, May 13th to 15th.

Mr. Ernest Jackson was taken ill on Sunday and will be housed for a short time.

George Hutchins is making repairs to his house on Main street and will move in shortly.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Palmer Bliss and children were guests Sunday of Miss Marian Webster of Northfield at her camp in Warwick.

George Kellom of Beverly, Mass., was a recent visitor with his mother, Mrs. Margaret Kellom.

Miss Lena Barney of Claremont has been visiting her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Osman Barney.

Miss Jennie Wood and her brother Arthur Wood have opened their home on the Keene road after a winter in St. Petersburg, Florida.

The Winchester Baseball Club will place another strong team in the field this season. The following players will be included in this year's line up: Charles and Edward Hanna, Francis Toomey, Red Kibbie, Ray Rollins, Henry Bent, Buster Pratt, Bill Davis, William Byrne, and Pete Napierkoski. Many of the teams included in last year's schedule in all probability will be played during the summer. The last season's record of the games against strong teams in this section makes a goal hard to equal but regardless, the management assures a good series of games. The season will open on May 29th with the Blue Sox of Springfield, Vt.

### Probate Court

The following is recorded in Probate Court at Greenfield last week. Judge Francis Nims Thompson presiding.

Wills allowed of—Laura A. Weatherhead late of Gill, Emma L. Barton of Gill, exr.

License granted for sale of real estate of Egbert E. Cairns late of Bernardston.

Accounts allowed on estates of Edward C. Martindale late of Bernardston; George William Richards late of Erving (trustee's 3.)

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#### NORTHFIELD A. A.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Urgielewicz, ss, p	3	0	1	0	1	1
Shearer, 2	3	0	0	2	1	0
E. Scoble, 3	2	3	2	2	0	0
Williams, 1	2	2	2	4	0	2
Bolton, rf	3	3	1	1	0	0
Haven, cf	2	0	1	0	0	0
Kervian, lf	2	1	1	0	0	0
Glazier, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Browning, c	3	0	0	9	0	1
C. Scoble, p, ss	2	0	0	0	0	0

Total 23 9 8 18 2 4

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	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Martin, ss	3	0	0	0	1	1
Adams, c	4	1	1	6	0	1
Allen, p	3	1	1	3	1	0
Judd, cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Vail, lf	3	0	0	1	0	1
Kratz, 3	3	1	1	1	1	0
Jilson, rf	2	1	0	0	0	0
Bardwell, 2	3	1	0	1	1	0
N. Kratz, p, 1	3	2	1	2	1	1
Snow*	1	0	1	0	0	0

Total 28 7 5 15 5 4

\*Snow batted for Judd in the 6th.

Score by Innings

	1	2	3	4	5	6
Northfield	3	1	2	0	3	x-9
Bernardston	0	0	3	1	1	2-7

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The other hostesses besides Mrs. Cutler were Miss Sally Clough, Mrs. Leonard Ellinwood, Mrs. Thomas Elder, Mrs. Carroll Rikert, and Mrs. Arthur Platt.

Mrs. Grove Deming was elected president of the society for the coming year. At the business meeting it was decided to have a wide selection of topics instead of developing one main subject.

Mr. Wilfred W. Fry President of the N. W. Ayer Co., of Philadelphia, a graduate of Hermon and a Trustee of Northfield Schools spoke at the Vesper Service in Memorial Chapel last Sunday.

### Homing Pigeon At Vernon

A homing pigeon rather tired and weary alighted at the home of J. E. Dunklee in Vernon last Tuesday and was given food and after partaking of breakfast appeared reluctant to leave his hosts. The bird wore two aluminum bands on its legs. One band bore on the outer side the inscription C 184, and on the inner side 012. The other band bore the letters LAW 355 if 31.

### Locals

Deputy Sheriff T. F. Darby is driving a new Chevrolet sedan.

Mr. Mike Syknic has rented the old Ruggles place at Northfield Farms from the Turners Falls Power Co.

The Mountain View Hotel, now open, has already attracted a number of tourists and Mr. Pratt says business has really begun.

Mrs. Charles E. Leach of Northfield Farms Road entertained her friends at a luncheon at her home on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Alice Kenney stated to a Herald representative that among a brood of chicks which hatched recently was one with only a single leg.

It was "broiled lamb chops" at the Chef's Special Wednesday evening at the Northfield Hotel. Better try one of those evening meals on Wednesday.

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## South Vernon

On Mothers' Day Rev. George A. Gray gave a fine tribute to Mothers in his sermon on, "The Old Fashioned Mother." The large choir sang several selections. One of them was "Tell Mother I'll Be There." A beautiful selection was sung by the trio, composed of Mrs. Gladys Shattuck, E. W. Dunklee and Mrs. Jennie Warnock. In Sunday School Prof. A. H. Evans gave a fine talk on, "Temperance". In the evening the pastor spoke on, "Making Good the Unfilled Promise." Mrs. Gertrude Gibson sang a beautiful solo, "My Mother's Prayers have

raw beans in his mouth. Reading by Miss Maude Radway on "Numerous Inventions"; reading by Mrs. Gladys Bruce "The Man Who—Waited," and then finally, he evaporated; a song, with encore by Mrs. Gertrude Gibson; address; a fine address was given by Prof. A. H. Evans on "George Washington"; business meeting; Bingville Schooldays was presented in two scenes and greatly enjoyed, causing much fun and laughter; scene No. 1, 1890; Roll call; story by the teacher, Mrs. Marion Johnson; Quotations by the pupils; "Gravy and Chickenbones come to my plate. Little boys eat, while little dogs wait." Arithmetic Class, (called to the front); "Toe-Knee-Chest-Nut, Edgar Bruce; "Katrinka Sweetcorn", Miss Eleanore Brown; "Patricia Cobweb", Mrs. Margaret Frost; Reading, Grade Four, (called front); "Toe-Knee-Chest-Nut" Edgar Bruce; "Cantaloupe Watermelon" Victor Vaughan; "Katrinka Sweetcorn", Miss Eleanore Brown; reading grade six, (called front); "Toe-Knee-Chest-Nut", Edgar Bruce; "Patricia Cobweb", Mrs. Margaret Frost; Bearfoot Popcorn", Ernest Dunklee; History (called front); "Bearfoot Popcorn", Ernest Dunklee; "Katrinka Sweetcorn" Eleanore Brown; "Cantaloupe Watermelon" Victor Vaughan; Physiology, (called front); "Toe-Knee-Chest-Nut", Edna Edson; "Patricia Cobweb", Margaret Frost; Geography, (called front); "Bearfoot Popcorn", Ernest Dunklee; "Patricia Cobweb", Margaret Frost; "Katrinka Sweetcorn", Eleanore

Brown. The school was called to order by the teacher, Mrs. Marion Johnson, who heard classes in reading, arithmetic, physiology, history and geography and the ridiculous answers given by her scholars caused much merriment among the audience. The fund of wise cracks was great, for what one couldn't think of another one would. After their recess, there was a program of music by the school "Kitchen Orchestra." A trombone solo by "Katrinka Sweetcorn"; a violin solo by "Priscilla Dustpan"; an accordion solo by "Toe-Knee-Chest-Nut"; a cornet solo by "Patricia Cobweb"; a banjo solo by "Toe-Knee-Chest-Nut", all of which made a great hit. While the scene was changing from scene No. 1 1890 to scene No. 2, 1950, a trio of girls sang two songs. Those in the trio were Ellen Heath, Genevieve Edson and Elva Martineau.

"Ringville School Days," Scene No. 2, 1950. The style of dress and ways of teaching were very much different and more modern at present than in days of long ago. The school was called to order by the teacher, "Miss Wiseheart" (Marion Johnson) assisted in her schoolwork, by the school nurse, (Miss Vitimin). Eleanore Brown, who examined the pupils for various diseases and to see if they did their daily "Health Chores."

During school time, Toe-Knee-Chest-Nut was taken with a very severe toothache, and the school nurse offered to extract it for him. She tied a big string on to the tooth, then hitched the other end on to the door knob and slammed the door with a terrible bang and by the force of the bang, pulled out a "whopper." Later the nurse examined him again to see what was the matter and she pronounced his disease to be smallpox which so frightened the pupils, they all got up in a panic and ran out of the school room for dear life. Immediately a vacation of 2 weeks was declared.

Dainty refreshments of cookies and ice cream were served by the P. T. A. and the crowd left knowing they had received more than their money's worth. Candy found a ready sale by the P. T. A. "Bingville Schooldays" was surely a "crackerjack" and it ought to be repeated somewhere. Quite a number from the Pond P. T. A., came down to enjoy the fun.

## Winchester

Arthur Barrett of the Coast Guard Service with headquarters in Boston is at his home on a furlough.

Miss Maxine Smith and Miss Morgan of Keene Normal and Miss Pauline Smith of Orange, Mass., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Smith.

The Red Cross Chapter of Keene sent to this town 122 bags of flour to be distributed among the needy.

The regular meeting of the Current Events Club meet Friday with Mrs. Winona Barney. A paper, "Flying the longest Mail Routes" was read by Mrs. Ethel Goldsmith.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pentland of Worcester, Mass., spent the week end with relatives.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Barrett and Mrs. C. J. Hubbard of Orange, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hubbard of Agawam, Mass.

The Young People's Society of the Federated Church were guests of the Young people in Northfield on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Holmes, Rev. and Mrs. Carl, the Misses Velma Pierce and Edith Whitehead and Wayne Grupe attended the State Congregational Conference at Manchester, May 13th to 15th.

Mr. Ernest Jackson was taken ill on Sunday and will be housed for a short time.

George Hutchins is making repairs to his house on Main street and will move in shortly.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Palmer Bliss and children were guests Sunday of Miss Marian Webster of Northfield at her camp in Warwick.

George Kellom of Beverly, Mass., was a recent visitor with his mother, Mrs. Margaret Kellom.

Miss Lena Barney of Claremont has been visiting her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Osman Barney.

Miss Jennie Wood and her brother Arthur Wood have opened their home on the Keene road after a winter in St. Petersburg, Florida.

The Winchester Baseball Club will place another strong team in the field this season. The following players will be included in this year's line up: Charles and Edward Hanna, Francis Toomey, Red Kibbie, Ray Rollins, Henry Bent, Buster Pratt, Bill Davis, William Byrne, and Pete Napierkoski. Many of the teams included in last year's schedule in all probability will be played during the summer. The last season's record of the games against strong teams in this section makes a goal hard to equal but regardless, the management assures a good series of games. The season will open on May 29th with the Blue Sox of Springfield, Vt.

## Probate Court

The following is recorded in Probate Court at Greenfield last week. Judge Francis Nims Thompson presiding.

Wills allowed of—Laura A. Weatherhead late of Gill, Emma L. Barton of Gill, exr.

License granted for sale of real estate of Egbert E. Cairns late of Bernardston.

Accounts allowed on estates of Edward C. Martindale late of Bernardston; George William Richards late of Erving (trustee's 3.)

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The talented screen actor, who is appearing in "Love Bound" the Peerless picture was born in Wappingers Falls, N. Y., October 7, 1894. He is one inch short of six feet, and has brown hair and blue eyes. He tips the scales at 152 pounds.

Jack was an outdoor boy. His love for the outdoors has never left him. He was educated in the Wappingers Falls High School and at St. Mary's Academy.

He played boy parts on the stage, appearing in stock at Whitehead's Theatre, Passaic, N. J. From there he went to New York, where he played the juvenile lead in several Broadway shows among them Ned Wayburn's "The Producer."

His first appearance in pictures was in Hal Reid's "Cold Cash," with Gertrude McCoy as leading woman. Then he played at the old Biograph studios.

THURSDAY — THROUGH SATURDAY  
May 26-27-28

"WHEN A FELLER NEEDS A FRIEND"  
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Hollywood became a "one-horse town" to provide atmosphere for "When a Feller Needs a Friend" with Jackie Cooper and Charles "Chic" Sale in co-starring roles. A complete car with all the equipment of the old-time horsecar transit service was constructed on a tract of land near the studio lot.

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Before the car tracks could be laid, however, it was necessary to find a house to be used as the background of the picture, with an exceptionally large open area adjoining the backyard. It was also essential that a high board fence should be the dividing line between backyard and open field.

In "When a Feller Needs a Friend" Jackie Cooper plays a crippled boy who is unable to participate in many of the sports of the other children and seeks companionship and consolation in the company of Uncle Jonas, played by "Chic" Sale who is conductor and driver of the only street car.

Reversing all conventional methods of plot development, "The Roadhouse Murder" with Eric Linden and Dorothy Jordan in the featured leads, gives a startling new treatment of the ever popular mystery theme.

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Warren William and Sidney Fox as they appear in "The Mouthpiece," a Warner Bros. and Vitaphone picture. Supporting them in this picture are Guy Kibbee, Aline MacMahon, J. Carroll Naish and many others.

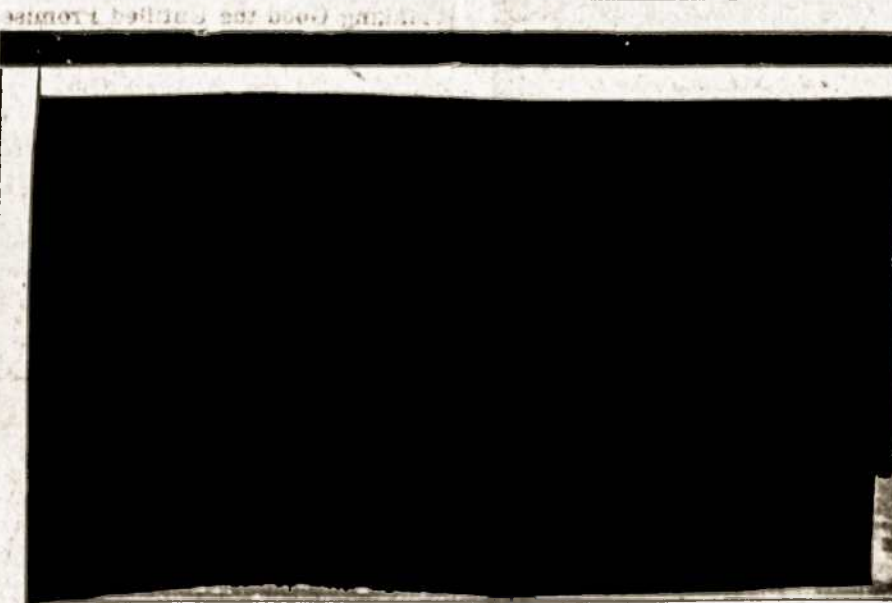
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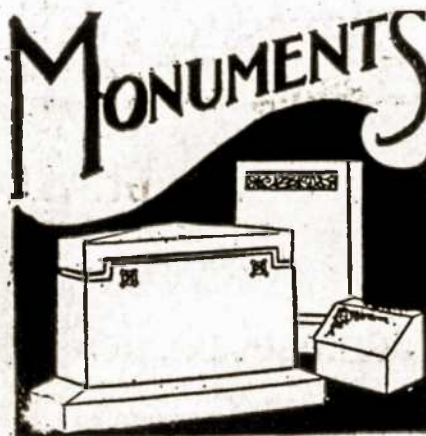
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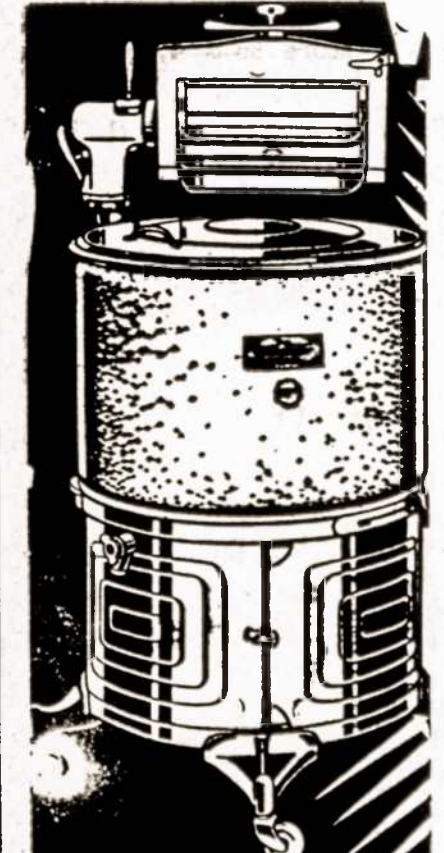


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**South Vernon**

Mrs. Jennie Nichols is staying with Mrs. Clara Pratt for a few days' visit.

Mrs. Nellie Rice is much improved in health and is now living in her own home.

Mrs. Gladys Besselievre of Manchester, Vt., called on her cousin, Mrs. R. E. Bruce, Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. Brewster, who have spent the winter at the Vernon Home returned to their home in Rockland, Maine Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Norton who have been living at the Vernon Home for several months have gone to their summer home in Plainville, Conn.

The "Eagle Club" will hold a social at Buffum's Hall on Saturday evening May 21 to which all of the young people are cordially invited to come and have a good time.

Dan Haskell of Ossining, N. Y., who has been a guest of his mother, Mrs. Nettie Haskell returned home Monday.

Mrs. Josephine Doolittle, who was a former resident of South Vernon spent the week end with friends in town. She has just returned north from Florida.

Next Sunday Standard Time, the services at the South Vernon Church will be 9.30 a.m., Church School; 10.45 a.m., Sermon; 7 p.m., Song Service. Everyone is cordially invited to come; 7.30 p.m., Evening service; 7.30 p.m., Thursday, mid-week service at the Vernon Home; 7 p.m., Friday, choir rehearsal.

The pastor preached two fine sermons last Sunday. His morning subject was "Christian Experience." The choir sang an especial selection, "I want to see Jesus." A very beautiful duet, "The Saviour So Dear," was sung by Mrs. Gladys Shattuck and Mrs. Jennie Warnock. In the evening the subject was "Christ Jesus In His Heavenly Setting." Mrs. Gertrude Gibson sang a fine solo, "Sweet as the years go by," and Rev. and Mrs. Gray an especially beautiful duet, "Nailed to the Cross." Large congregations were present.

A fine Birthday Day Party was given at Buffum's hall on Monday evening, May 16, by Mrs. E. W. Dunklee for every one. The price of admission being a cent for every letter in the month of a person was born. Birthday groups were formed, whose birthdays occurred in those certain months. Each group was given an incomplete story, according to that particular month, to be filled out and the corrected story read before the others which came out rather funny at times causing much laughter. Each group was required to go on to the platform and act out certain stunts, for example the October group, whose partners, all dressed as ghosts with a string with a ring in the center, and the string in each partner's mouth, and each partner, who chewed their side of the string to the ring first won. At another time a slip of paper with a list of words, with the letters mixed up, representing different kinds of cake, were given out to the people to be corrected. Several prizes for the solution were given both 1st and 2d.

R. E. Bruce represented Father Time as a decrepit old man. Mrs. Mary Skib represented youth ushering out Father Time. The December group sang Yankee Doodle backward. Quite a large group were dressed in pretty pink costumes with fancy hats and fans to match. Mrs. Edna Edson represented the June bride, dressed in pretty pink costume and carrying a beautiful bouquet of June roses with a white bridal veil over her head with her attendants marching in time to the music, that was played by Miss Ellen Heath on the phonograph. Miss Elinore Bruce who was dressed in a pretty white costume with a row of pink and white apple blossoms in her hair, represented the Queen of May. These scenes were very beautiful. Refreshments of sandwiches, cake and cocoa were served for a cent apiece.

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**Items Of Interest**

Mr. John Sauter who has represented the Second (Greenfield) district in the General Court since 1926 has announced that he is not to be a candidate for re-election. Accompanying his announcement Mr. Sauter expressed appreciation of the support and confidence which he has received.

The Twelfth Annual Convention of the Atlantic Coastal Highway Association will be held at "Florida's Finest" resort hotel — The Hollywood Beach Hotel, Hollywood, Florida, July 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th and 16th, 1932. Our good friend William M. Kimball is manager of this hotel. He was formerly at the Kimball Hotel, Springfield.

**Northfield Farms**

Rev. W. S. Carne had charge of the service at No. 3 Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Alexander entertained friends from Northampton Sunday.

Mrs. F. E. Warner and son, Lincoln Warner recently visited at J. L. Hammond's.

The neighborhood had a scare when the pasture back of J. L. Hammond's buildings were burnt over Sunday.

Mrs. Earl Underwood and two children of Greenfield were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Billings Sunday.

Miss Rhetta Barrett, Miss Alma Thomas of Medford, Mass., and Miss Betty Foster spent the week end at their homes here.

Mrs. Lawrence Hammond and Harold Hammond spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Florence Brocklesly in Millers Falls.

Ralph Hammond is working for Francis Totman in Greenfield and going back and forth to school in Northfield with Miss Dorothy Totman.

Marshall Hammond will soon be able to leave the Franklin County Hospital and will go to his grandmother's Mrs. F. A. Martin to recuperate.

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Dates of Massachusetts Fairs as announced by Secretary A. W. Lombard of Boston are:

Nantucket	August 22-23
Great Barrington	Aug. 30-Sept. 2
Middlefield	September 2-3
Athol	September 3-5
Sturbridge	September 3-5
Bridgewater	September 5-6
Blandford	September 5-6
Topsfield	September 7-10
Charlestown	September 9-10
West Tisbury	September 6-8
Greenfield	September 12-14
Brockton	September 13-17
Acton	September 16-17
Uxbridge	September 16-17
Groton	September 23-24
Cummington	September 27-28
Worcester	Sept. 27-Oct. 1
Weymouth	Sept. 29-Oct. 1
Littleville	October 1
Northampton	October 4-6
Segreganset	October 13-14

Chevrolet built 55,432 cars and trucks in April. This compares with 38,890 built in March and is the highest months' output so far into 1932. Total production of the new 1932 line of Chevrolet sixes since its introduction last winter is now in excess of 260,000 units.

**Auto Advice**

See your garage man and have your lights and brakes tested. Be sure that your car displays the "green sticker." Drive carefully on the highways and avoid unreasonable speed.

If your car has been in storage for several months the gasoline should be drained from the tank and fresh gasoline put in. Gasoline does get stale in storage. It loses some of its antiknock qualities, becomes less volatile and is more inclined to leave resinous substance which clog valves and interfere with the efficient operation of the motor.

Rust has a bad habit of eating into metals. Now and then a scratched or dented fender with paint peeled off starts to rust. In these cases a little new paint will stop the damage and prevent it spreading. A half hour's work now in brushing up these spots will improve the appearance of your car.

Before starting out on a trip place a rag in the pocket of the door of your car and make up your mind to use it frequently to keep the windshield clean. A dirty windshield is particularly dangerous at night. It takes but a few minutes to clean the windshield, and the effort is well worth while.

Every motorist should go over his car carefully at this time of the year. The winter often imposes severe strains on an automobile. Rotted roads may have put the wheels out of line. Anti-freeze should be drained. The radiator should be flushed, the cooling system cleaned and new grease put in the transmission and the rear end. These little jobs pay for themselves in longer car life, and smoother operation.

Trends in wheel designs continue to change from time to time, except that the metal wheel in one form or another appears to be here to stay. Wire wheels had a very long vogue and are still popular. The disc wheel returned in a new and more stylish form. And the steel artillery type wheel, too, has made strides. Steel wheels have certain advantages in ruggedness and strength and, in addition, possess the necessary qualities of resilience.

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27x5.00-19	6.45	6-45	1.30
28x5.00-20	6.75	6-55	1.33
28x5.25-15	7.53	7-30	1.35
30x5.25-20	7.89	7-65	1.33
31x5.25-21	8.15	7-91	1.43
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Eastern Standard Time  
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10.07 a.m. 4.34 p.m.

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5.19 a.m. 1.46 p.m. 7.55 p.m.  
8.50 a.m. 4.06 p.m.

Sundays see Time Table.

**Central Vermont R. R.**  
Eastern Standard Time

Lv. Northfield, North Bound  
9.09 a.m. 8.09 p.m.  
Lv. Northfield, South Bound  
6.35 a.m. 4.10 p.m.

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E. Northfield	9.50	6.20
Hinsdale (Inn)	10.05	6.35
Arr. Brat'boro (RR Sta.)	10.20	6.50
Arr. Greenfield (R. R. Sta.)	10.35 a.m.	and 5.45 p.m.

Leave a.m. p.m.

Brattleboro (R. R. Sta.)	6.00	2.30
Hinsdale (Inn)	6.15	2.50
E. Northfield	6.30	3.05
Northfield (P. O.)	6.34	3.09
Mt. Hermon (School gate)	6.40	3.15
Barnardston (Inn)	6.50	3.25
Arr. Greenfield (R. R. Sta.)	7.10	3.45
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## Bernardston

Sunday services at the First Baptist Church: 11 a.m., Morning Worship; sermon, "Our Need of Patience;" 12:00 a.m., Bible School; 7:30 p.m., service in charge of the Y. P. S. C. E.; Thursday evening, 7:30 p.m., Prayer Meeting.

The Ladies' Aid of the Leyden Church will serve a May Day supper, Tuesday, May 24 from 6:00-8:00 p.m., at the Town Hall.

The Baptist Ladies' Aid held their annual business meeting and election of officers Thursday in the church parlors.

Several young people from the Bernardston Baptist Church are planning to attend the Young People's Franklin Millers River Association Rally at Shelburne Falls Friday evening.

Rev. H. P. George, pastor of the Baptist Church, exchanged meetings with Rev. McCullough of Greenfield Sunday evening.

The members of the Unitarian Church of this town are setting out a hedge on the west side of the church property.

The Ladies' Alliance of the Unitarian church are planning to re-decorate the church parlors during next week.

The Ladies' Alliance of the Unitarian Church will serve a strawberry luncheon at the church vestry, Wednesday, May 25.

The Minstrel Show sponsored by the Bernardston P. T. A., and coached by Mr. Raymond Griswold will be given Thursday evening, May 26 at 8 o'clock at the Town Hall.

There was a regular meeting of the Bernardston Grange, Wednesday evening. It was Competitive Night with the men's program in charge of Kenneth Howard, Henry Root and Morton Whithead.

The Ladies' Program was in charge of Doris Woodward, Mary Turner and Hazel Thurber.

There was a debate on the question: Resolved that corporal punishment is a benefit to the child. The negative was upheld by Prin. H. A. Bryant and John Sutherland, and the affirmative by Mr. E. J. Slate and Mrs. C. D. Pratt.

Mr. Edmund Holmes of Greenfield spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Hill on Bald Mountain Road.

Miss Mildred Laurence spent the week end at her home in Winchendon.

Mrs. Frank Deane of Northfield Road entertained the "Early Birds" at Bridge Monday evening. Mrs. Edgar received high honors.

Levi Chase of Boston is visiting Mr. William Smith of Bernardston.

Mr. Sylvester Slate, music teacher of Powers Institute, has received the music for Graduation. The melodies are: "In Time of Roses," "Still as the Night," "Volga Boatman Song," "Departure." The Glee Club will begin rehearsing the numbers Wednesday.

The Spelling Honor Roll for grades six and seven are: Lucy Wilson, Leslie Day, Celeste Madden and Elinor Whitaker.

John Metlica son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Metlica of Leyden is in the Franklin County Hospital suffering from a broken leg which he received when an automobile going south on High Street, Sunday, ran into him.

Mr. Harry Taft of Leyden who is in the Franklin County Hospital for observation is now able to be up.

Mr. Octave Duprey who has been staying at George Duprey's residence in town went to Keene Sunday to work at the Ellis Brothers Florist Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bedow and family from Keene, spent Sunday at George Duprey's farm. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tousley also visited them.

Mr. Louis Pratt motored to Lenox, Massachusetts, Saturday, to spend the week end with friends.

Mrs. Nancy Bowman of Turners Falls is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Leon Burrows and family on Center street.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter O'Brien of Pittsfield and Mr. Raymond Straus of Holyoke were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Vanasse on the Brattleboro Road.

Master Richard Meritt of Leyden spent the week with his mother, Mrs. Meritt at the home of Mr. Charles Hills on the Brattleboro Road.

Mrs. Alice Cushman who has been spending the winter with her son, John Cushman in Terre Haute, Indiana returned to her home Sunday.

Albert Willis, formerly of Greenfield, is living at the home of his step brother, Mr. Edwin Damon of South street.

Miss Louise Truesdell of Hartford, Connecticut spent the week end with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. L. Truesdell.

Jeanette Wetherby of Northfield Seminary was the week end guest of Miss Ruth Truesdell at the parsonage.

Mr. Richard Nelson of Massachusetts State College at Amherst spent the week-end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Nelson in East Bernardston.

Miss Lucy Wilson won the prize of one dollar given by the P. T. A., for selling the most tickets for the Old Folks Concert.

Raymond Hennequin, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Bigelow of Leyden and Harold Coates also of Leyden, are

now in the Franklin County Hospital suffering from injuries received in an automobile accident Saturday morning at the intersection near Eck Inn. Hennequin received lacerations on the head and face and was badly shaken up. Coates is quite seriously ill with spinal trouble and was placed in a cast, Tuesday. However, the extent of his injuries have not yet been determined.

The Betty Smith Beauty Parlor will be open for business every Tuesday and Friday from eight until five o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Baudreau of Northfield road are moving to Brattleboro.

Mrs. C. V. Woodward and Donald Woodward of West Road and Miss Alice Walker of Buckland motored to Boston, Mass., Sunday.

Mrs. Raymond Berthume and daughter Edna are visiting relatives in Salem, Massachusetts.

Mr. Harry Martin and friends from Gill spent the week end in Seward, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Rines of Everett, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ora Martin and family, Sunday and Monday.

Miss Dorothy Phelps who is attending the State Teachers College in North Adams spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Phelps on Huckle Hill.

Miss Elizabeth Harris of Greenfield spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Harris on Bald Mountain Road.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Hill of Bald Mountain Road visited Mr. and Mrs. Horace Harmon in Shelburne, Thursday evening.

Mrs. Leo Bowman of Bald Mountain Road, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia with two nurses in attendance, is somewhat improved now. Doctor Freeman of Greenfield is attending her.

Miss Virginia Newton of Bald Mountain Road spent the week end with Miss Barbara Fitzherbert on the Northfield Road.

A group of delegates from Powers Institute will attend the final meeting of the year of the Western Massachusetts League of School Publications which is to be held in Amherst, Friday, May 20th.

The pupils of the Bald Mountain School have collected 55 varieties of wild flowers since April. Each pupil tried to find as many kinds as he could in order to have his name down as many times as possible.

Two trees were given to South Street School one by the Community Club and one by Mrs. C. S. Barber. Mr. Bryant Burrows and Mr. Percy Buchan planted the trees.

The young maple tree which was named in honor of Abraham Lincoln and which the pupils of Bald Mountain School set out last fall, has leaved out very profusely this spring, much to the delight of the children.

The Powers Institute baseball team broke even on their games last week. Monday they were defeated by Greenfield High School's second team with a score of 18-2. Thursday they journeyed to Petersham where they defeated the Petersham High School team 12-5.

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Chapter Work  
On Roads Expected

The program of new construction work and maintenance of highways in Franklin county this year has been laid out and entails a total expenditure of \$292,800 under chapters 81 and 90 of the general laws.

Continuance of new construction will be provided for 19 of the county towns and maintenance funds will be available to 22 of the communities.

When the work is completed, the state will have contributed a total of \$173,765 of which \$61,765 is under chapter 90 and \$112,000 under chapter 81; towns will have contributed a total of \$100,635 of which \$38,070 will be under chapter 90 and \$62,565 under chapter 81, while the county will have contributed \$18,400, all under chapter 90.

Northfield will receive the sum of \$17,550.

The roads about Northfield are to receive the following amounts under Chapter 90: Gill, Northfield road, State, \$2,965, Town, \$870; West Gill road, State \$2,000, Town \$1,000, County \$1,000; Northfield, Mount Hermon road State \$2,000, Town \$4,000; Warwick, Northfield road, State \$2,000, Town \$1,000, County \$1,000.

The following under Chapter 81. Bernardston, State \$4,000, Town \$3,000, County \$7,000; Gill, State \$3,400, Town \$2,550, County \$5,950; Northfield, State \$6,000, Town \$4,950, County \$11,550; Warwick, State \$5,500, Town \$825, County \$6,325.

Parsons Heads  
Child Council Work

Our Northfield friend and neighbor the Hon. Herbert C. Parsons was chosen head of the Massachusetts Child council formed at a meeting last week at Worcester by persons from many parts of the state interested in continuing the work of the Massachusetts committee for the White House conference. The aim of the new organization is to coordinate without supplanting the many organizations in the state interested in various phases of child health work.

The state White House committee was headed by Dr. George H. Bigelow, state commissioner of public health, and was established for one year (expiring June 1) with the aid of a state appropriation. The sponsors of the council feel that its work is of more than temporary nature and should be continued as a privately supported enterprise.

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## PINE STREET SCHOOL

Arbor Day was observed April 29 by all of the members of Pine Street School. At 2.15 all the rooms gathered at the south east corner of the school grounds and the following program was given: song, "America" by all; reading, "Proclamation," Jeanette Plotczyk; song, "Arbor Day," Grades 3-4-5; poem, "Arbor Day," Margaret Carne; planting of the maple tree; song, "Birds Return," Grades 6-7-8. Each student's name was written and placed in a sealed bottle and put under the tree. We wish to thank Mr. Piper for giving us such a nice tree and both Harry Holloway and Robert Thompson for the planting of the tree.

Joseph Tie a member of the sixth grade has had to leave school because of his health. He spent about a week in a Boston hospital. While there his classmates wrote letters. When he returned home the school sent him a large may basket full of goodies. We hope he will gain fast and be able to return to school next fall.

Report cards were given out last week. Those on the Honor Roll for March and April are as follows:

Margaret Skilton, Louise Whitman, Evelyn Lamphear, Raymond Plotczyk, Jeanette Plotczyk, Harry Holloway, Charles Taber, Robert Thompson, Ethel Marcy, Dorothy Marcy, Aiden French, Ruth McEwan, Glenn Giebel, Rosalie Cossett. To have one's name placed on our Honor Roll one must have all two's or one's on his report card. Our dental Honor Roll to May 9 have these names: Matthew Forsaith, Margaret Skilton, James Krause, Ernest Bolton, Murray Palam, Ruth Field, Joseph Tie, Dorothy Marcy, Ethel Marcy, Ruth Spaulding, Louise Whitman. We want 100% by June.

The baseball team has organized with Harry Holloway, as captain and Robert Thompson as assistant. Louise Whitman is captain of the volley ball team.

Those having perfect attendance are: Rosalie Cossett, Thelma French, Evelyn Lamphear, Ruth McGowan, Dorothy Marcy, Ethel Marcy, Charlotte Long, Harry Holloway, Robert Thompson, Frank Tie.

Jeanette and Raymond Plotczyk have had 100% in spelling so far this year.

Music week was observed May 6 at 2.30. The following program was presented: Piano solo by Julia Ross; the "Birch Swing" Miriam Hunt, Sybil Severence, Ian French, Margaret Carne, Katherine Johnson, Robert Webber; The Frog and the Food, Lillian Dawe, Herbert Marcy, Indian Baby Lloyd Carne, James Mattern, Charles Long.

Our playground has been completed with the following things: Five piece gym set, jumping standards, volley ball and net, two sets of horse-shoes, three rubber balls. The old gym set has been repainted. Mr. Frary who gave us our Jungle Gymn and helped the boys in setting up the new gym set. We are grateful to Mr. Frary for the interest he shows in our school. We think we have the best play grounds in town. Come and see us at play. We wish to thank the P. T. A., for helping to make our playground a success.

## NO. 3 SCHOOL

The children in quarantine for measles are Carlena and Thelma Moon, Priscilla and Arlene Williams and Olive, Eva, and Francis Fisher.

Monday the children were weighed and measured.

The fifth grade made a map of the United States from sponges.

Richard Mann still leads the flower contest.

Some of the boys from No. 3 played against the fifth grade of Center School, in a game of baseball.

## HIGH SCHOOL

A very interesting and varied program in charge of Miss Mathews was given Friday afternoon. It opened with a dialogue "The Courtship of Silas and Sally" with the parts played by Elizabeth Auclair and Myron Johnson. A story about Julia Ward Howe whose birthday comes in May was exceptionally well given by Barbara Cota after which "The Battle Hymn of the Republic" written by Mrs. Howe was sung by the school.

The pantomime "And the Light Went Out" was performed as Virginia Mann read. Dorothy Stone played the part of Evelyn Devere, the

heroine; Myron Johnson was Ralph Grayson, the hero; Milton Tyron was the villain, Herbert Vandervee; and Christine Gray acted as Mrs. Devere, the mother of Evelyn.

Elizabeth Auclair dressed as a negro mammy sang "When de shades creep around" accompanied by Miss Webster.

Christine Brewer gave an interesting talk about Florence Nightingale whose birthday is in May.

The program closed with the singing of parodies written to the tunes of Yankee Doodle and Love's Old Sweet Song.

The High School was defeated by the Town Team Friday evening by a score of 9-4. Tuesday afternoon the team went to Bernardston and played a close game with Powers Institute. The latter made a run in the last of the ninth making the score 6-5. The team has been handicapped for the past two weeks by the absence of Frank Huber and Victor Vaughan, regulars, who have been having the measles. Ralph Kervian, also, was unable to play Tuesday because of illness. The four substitutes Hurley, Marcy, who was replaced by Sutherland and Ralph Reed had hard luck until the eighth inning when they were all on bases at once but only Hurley could score by Glazier's hit. With some intensive practice we could have not only a good first team but a second team as well which would be worthy of praise.

Friday afternoon there will be a game with the team from the Kurn Hattin Home at the Hotel.

Tuesday morning at Assembly Christine Gray invited the Seniors to the Junior-Senior Party Friday evening.

A Dutchman, an Irishman, and a Scotchman were invited to a party on condition that each should bring something. The Dutchman brought a keg of beer, the Irishman three sandwiches, and the Scotchman, his brother.

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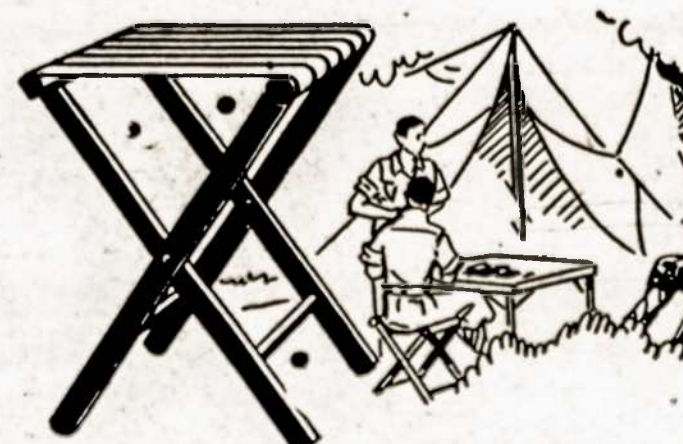
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